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Penny,

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Thanks

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Report

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Doug, I went out to the mine last Friday. There were several sets of cougar tracks on the leach pads and around the front gate and down at

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Forbes cabin area.

The road was muddy to the DI turn off then snow covered. The canyon was pretty slick. There were close to 20 eagles around the Motoqua turn off. The snow was melting enough to increase the water flow off the pads to about 4 GPM. There had been very little traffic at the site.

There was no sign of cows and most of the tumble weeds around the Arsenic gulch culvert are burned up. I took my chain saw out this time. I left one log across the upper culvert to screen out any large trees from entering and plugging the culvert with spring rains and snow melt. I decided to burn some of the cut-up logs to prevent them from floating into the culvert and plugging it any further. It has collapsed and is partially plugged now. There was enough rain last month that it washed more trees down from up on top where it burned two years ago.

The guzzlers are full of water and the aprons are free of snow. There is about 17' of snow at the guzzlers. I will need to replace the rain gauges as they froze with rain water in them and broke. I buy cheap ones since they have short life spans.

That's all for this month-

Dan Slyter